Panchayats or the Hon'ble Minister for Rural Development;

(*e*) if not, what action has been taken in reference to the petition referred to by the Choondal Panchayat?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):*

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes; a copy of the petition is placed on the table.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) Yes; the petition has been forwarded to the Director of Public Health and Panchayats.

(*e*) No action is taken. Please see answer to (*c*).

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Will the Government be pleased to include this work also in the irrigation programme?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* It all depends upon the report and availability of funds. I will just see whether anything could be done. I cannot commit myself more than that.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Thank you, Sir.

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178. Mr. T. S. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Chittur-Tattamangalam):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) was not a sum of Rs. 2,000 provided in the budget for 1116 for a model village in Kallanchira in Tattamangalam;

(*b*) has anything been done in Kallanchira out of this sum of Rs. 2,000; if not, why not?

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):*

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No; there was a proposal to include this hamlet in the Tattamangalam Municipality. The proposal has been dropped and Kallanchira has been included under the Pattancheri Panchayat. Now the works have been published for tenders.

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